

# The Daily Courant.

Saturday, October 16. 1703.

From the Amsterdam Gazette, dated Oct. 11.

Rome, September 15.

**T**HE Pope has express'd high Displeasure at the Duel fought between the Marquess de Santa Croce and the Baron Angelo Gavotti, in which the latter was kill'd; and it being reported to his Holiness that the former had taken Sanctuary in a Church, he appointed a Congregation to examine whether the Party culpable in such a Case ought to be allow'd the Benefit of the Immunities generally allow'd to Criminals who take Refuge in consecrated Places. But, as we have related in some of our former, the Marquess took an Opportunity to quit the Church he retir'd into at first, and cannot now be found by the Officers of Justice. The Widow of the deceased Baron is fallen dangerously Sick, the Pope has given her 10000 Crowns which she lost by the Death of her Husband. Cardinal Marescotti her Uncle has prevail'd with her to drop the Prosecution of the Marquess de Santa Croce. The Pope persists in his Resolution to make a Reform among the Religious Orders, at which the Monks are mightily alarm'd, and a Congregation was held on the 12th in his presence on that Affair. A certain Nun of 75 Years of Age, who pretended to the Gift of Prophecy, was oblig'd on the 12th publicly to renounce and abjure such Pretensions in presence of the Cardinals who are Members of the Congregation of the Inquisition; who condemn'd the Old Woman to 10 Years Imprisonment, and impos'd as a Penance on her the repeating of part of the Rosary daily, and of the 7 Penitential Psalms once a Week.

From the Rotterdam Gazette, dated October 1.

Rome, September 22. On the 17th instant at Night a Courier arriv'd with Letters from the Republic of Venice to their Ambassador; who the next Morning had Audience of the Pope, and communicated to him the News brought by the Courier, viz. That there has been a great Revolution at the Porte, the Grand Signior having been depos'd and his Brother Achmet set up in his stead: That the Grand Vizier and other Ministers of State are likewise displac'd; That great Preparations of War are making by Sea and Land, and that 'tis much to be fear'd the new Ministry will break with the Christians: His Holiness, knowing well that the War between the Christian Princes furnishes the Turks with a favourable Opportunity, has publish'd new Indulgences to be obtain'd by those who shall at stated hours offer up certain Prayers for the Restauration of the Peace of Christendom; and to set an Example to others, went himself to day to the Cathedral of St. Peter to perform his Devotions: Cardinal Carpegna accompanying him, and following him up the Scala Sancta, fell down in a Fit of an Apoplexy, and was carried off to his Palace. This Week several of Count Candiani's Friends were taken into Custody by the Officers of the Inquisition. The Sacrists of the

Chappel on the Monte Cavallo, was rob'd t'other day of a rich Cross, enrich'd with Diamonds valued at 10000 Crowns, which was given by Pope Leo the 10th, and is said to have in it 4 Ounces of the Wood of the true Cross.

London, October 16. Being credibly assur'd that the following Letter is Authentick, we communicate it to the Publick as such.

From the French Army at San Benedetto, Sept. 29. This Day by break of Day the Duke of Vendome order'd that part of his Army where the Duke of Savoy's Troops were incamp'd, to be drawn out, and the Savoyards consisting of 4500 Men Horse and Foot to be surrounded; and commanded them to lay down their Arms: Which they did, and were made Prisoners of War: Had they refus'd to obey, the French Troops were order'd to Fire upon them: Some of the principal Officers were Refractory at first, but seeing the French ready to give Fire upon them, and being assur'd their Fate was inevitable if they made the least Resistance, they yielded up their Arms: After which they were all carried Prisoners to Mantua, &c. At the same time this was doing here, the like was done to the Savoyards that were garrison'd in Cremona, Novarre, and elsewhere, and all their Arms, Artillery, Ammunition and Horses were taken from them. The whole Camp is very much surpriz'd at this Proceeding: The Passages by Turin are shut up, so that no Couriers can pass that way, but are oblig'd to go about by St. Plomb or St. Gotard. Orders are given for making Ovens at Novarre to bake 15 or 20000 Rations of Bread for the Army. The Duke of Vendome march'd to day towards Verceil, with a Body of 7 or 8000 Men. The Prince of Vaudemont has resum'd the Command of this Army, and is provided against the Attempts of the Imperialists, who 'tis expected will not slip this opportunity of disturbing our Camp.

Plymouth, October 12. Yesterday came into this Port a Dutch Privateer, who brought in with him a small French Privateer of 2 Guns, 4 Pattareroes and 36 Men, which he took to the Eastward of this Harbour close under Shore.

Shields, October 12. There is not any Colliers sail'd since my last, and few come in except some small Ships from Holland under Convoy of 3 Men of War, one of which is in this Port, the other two gone a Cruising: The Dartmouth came from Burlington Bay to our Port two days ago, but the Wind blowing hard at South East, she is gone to the Northward. There is little likelihood of our Fleet sailing soon.

Harwich, October 14. This Morning the Solebay Man of War sail'd out of this Port for Linn: All the light Ships are sail'd to the Northward.

London,



London, Oct. 16. On Thursday last the Sessions of Goal-Delivery of Newgate ended at the Old-Baily, where two Persons receiv'd Sentence of Death; one of whom was found guilty of being in the Riot with the Gloucestershire Butcher (lately Executed) against the Constables at May-Fair last was Twelvemonth.

For the Benefit of Mr. Baggs.

2.0  
AT the Theatre Royal in Drury-Lane, this present Saturday being the 16th of October, will be presented a Play call'd, *The Fatal Marriage*, or, *The Innocent Adultery*. With several Entertainments of Dancing by the Devonshire Girl, Mrs. Bicknell, Mr. Laferay, and Singing by Mr. Shaw, particularly a Mad Song call'd *Bess of Bedlam*, Set by Mr. Henry Purcell.

2.6  
WHEREAS a Gold Ring was found at Justice-Hall in the Old-Baily on Thursday the 14th instant between the Hours of 10 and 12 in the Morning. These are to give Notice, that if the Owner will come to Justice Chamberlayne's in Petty-France, Westminster, and give the Marks of it, he may receive farther satisfaction.

2.6  
ANN Cole, the Wife of Edward Cole, known by the Name of Nurse Cole, a short thick Woman, having very few Teeth before, went from her Husband the 18th day of September last, and carried away with her in Money and Goods to the Value of 80 l. Whoever shall secure her or any of the Goods, and give an Account of it to her said Husband living in Cow-Lane near the Sheep-Pens, shall be well rewarded. And her said Husband hereby gives Notice, that he will not be answerable for any Debts she shall contract during her Absence from him.

2.6  
MEMOIRS of the Sieur d'Abancourt. Containing a General History of the Court and Kingdom of Portugal, from the Pyrenean Treaty to the Year 1668, with a full Relation of all the Battles and Sieges in the War between Spain and Portugal, under the Command of the late Duke of Schomberg, then in the Portuguese Service. With the Character, and some material Passages of that Great General's Life: As also an exact Account of the deposing of the late King Alfonso, and the Accession of Don Pedro his present Portuguese Majesty; and other remarkable Transactions, whereby will appear the Genius, Policy and Strength of that Nation, and its Interest with respect to Foreign Courts: Also the Treaty of Peace between Portugal and Spain, and the League Offensive and Defensive between France and Portugal. With a Description of the Places of Strength on the Frontiers of Portugal and Spain, and the Portuguese Method of Marching and Encamping, &c. Printed for Ralph Smith under the Royal Exchange; and James Round in Exchange-Alley. In Octavo. Price 3 s. 6 d.

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THE MONTHLY REGISTER: Or Memoirs of the Affairs of Europe, &c. Digested from the several Advices that came to England in September 1703. Without any Reflections. To be continued Monthly. Printed for Sam. Buckley at the Dolphin in Little-Britain. Price Six-pence. And Sold by A. Baldwin in Warwick-Lane.

NB. In this Register is inserted the Commission for Greenwich Hospital at length.

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In a few days will be publish'd,

A History of the Sufferings and Death of Monsieur Isaac le Fevre, a Gentleman of a considerable Family, and Advocate in Parliament; who for his Constancy in the Profession of the Protestant Religion was 17 Years Imprison'd, and a Slave in the French King's Gallies, where he dyed some Months since. Together with a particular Account of the Miseries of his Protestant Fellow-Sufferers there. Translated from the French. Printed for Tho. Bennet at the Half Moon in St. Paul's Church-yard.

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THE Grounds of Physick Examind; and the Reasons of the Abuses proved to be different from what have been usually Assign'd. In Answer to a Letter from the Ingenious Dr. G—. By P. Paxton M.D. In Octavo. Price 1 s. Printed for Richard Wilkin at the King's Head in St. Paul's Church-yard.

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From the Amsterdam Gazette, Oct. 22.

LETTERS from Trent of the 2d of this Month, inform us, That the French have quitted Torbole and Nago, and that 28 Barks are come to Riva, which makes it believ'd they design to abandon their other Posts, and Transport all their Troops over the Lake into the Mantuan; from whence they write, that the Duke of Vendome has dispers'd the Troops of Savoy among his own to secure them.

These Advices are confirm'd by Letters from Venice of the 6th, which add, that the Irish Regiment belonging to his Royal Highness which was in Mantua, is likewise broken to be incorporated in the French Regiments. General Vaubonne with 1500 Horse, and General Solari with 3500 Foot, have join'd the Imperial Army, which seems to have a Design to begin the Campaign now.

Ven. Oct. 5. Last Night came an Express from Leghorne, with advice that the English and Dutch Fleet commanded by Sir Cloudsly Shovel came in sight of that Port on the 1st Instant; and that several Merchant Ships which came under Convoy of that Fleet, were already put into Leghorne. We have Intelligence likewise that the Imperial Army in Lombardy (which is reinforc'd with 8000 Men from the Trentin) or part of it at least, is about to Decamp; but 'tis uncertain yet whither they will march; some tell us, they will move towards the Montferrat to draw near to Nice, not far from which 'tis said the Confed. Fleet will put in; but this is but conjecture.

Letters from Florence of the 1st confirm what is said above in the Article from Venice of the 5th concerning the Confederate Fleet, viz. That it was arriv'd at Leghorne; and those of the 4th from Genoa, say the same News was brought thither by a Courier.

Leiden Gazette, Octob. 23.

Letters from Turin of the 4th Instant confirm our former Advices of the Securing of the Troops of Savoy by the Duke of Vendome on his return to his Camp at San Benedetto. Of which the Duke of Savoy receiving Intelligence, he order'd the Gates of Turin to be made fast at Eleven a Clock in the Morning of the 3d, and the Ambassadors of France and others of that Nation to be seiz'd. The French that were found in other Towns of Savoy are all secur'd likewise, such only excepted who have been long settled. His Royal Highness also caus'd the Ambassador of Spain and all the other Spaniards found in Turin to be put under Confinement; during the execution of which Orders, the Gates were kept shut for 24 Hours. On the 4th, His Royal Highness coming from Maf, accompanied by all the Lords of his Court, told them publicly, That what Troops he had in the Service of the 2 Crowns in Italy were all Disarm'd and made Prisoners of War by the French; That

to obtain full Satisfaction for such an Affront, he had taken a resolution by the Advice of his Council of State, to joyn his Arms to those of the High Allies, to enter into the grand Confederacy, and to declare War against France and Spain. His Royal Highness has sent Order to all his Troops that are Garrison'd in his fortified Places, to march with utmost diligence towards the Frontier of the Milaneze, to oppose the Duke of Vendome who is advancing with 12000 French to lay Siege to Verceil: The Militia of all Savoy is likewise to draw together without delay, and march whither it shall be judg'd Expedient.

From the Rotterdam Gazette, dated Oct. 22.

Letters from Geneva of the 12th of this Month confirm the March of the Duke of Vendome to besiege Verceil, and that Savoy is Arming; adding, that the 6 Provinces of that Dukedom are levying each a Regiment for the Service of their Sovereign: There will be 2 Camps, one at Scissel near the Rhone, and another between Montmeillan and the Fort des Barreaux.

Letters from France through the Neutral Countries, advise, That the Town of Castres has declar'd for the Camisars, that the Marshal de Montrevel's Troops have burnt 42 Villages in the Upper Sevensnes and in the Bishoprick of Mende. Mean time the Camisars continue their Ravages.

From Vienna of the 10th they write, that Prince Esterhasi Palatine of Hungary, and General Palfi are gone for Hungary to draw the Regular and Militia Troops together to make head against the Rebels, who have been forc'd to abandon the Siege of Zatmar; And that an Ambassador from the New Grand Signior is on the Road to Vienna, on what Errand is yet unknown.

There is no News from the Armies on the Danube.

The Marshal de Tallard continues to Ravage the Country about Landau in a terrible manner.

Dusseldorp, Oct. 17. Yesterday at 5 in the Evening the King of Spain arriv'd here, at 8 the Duke of Marlborough had a private Audience of His Majesty in his Bed Chamber. His Grace was introduc'd by the Prince of Lichtenstein, who having conducted him into the Chamber, retir'd immediately, leaving the Duke alone with His Majesty.

On the 19th early in the Morning, the Duke left Dusseldorp to go to the Army at Tongres: after a stay of 3 or 4 Days in his Camp, he is expected at the Hague.

The King of Spain sets out from Dusseldorp for the Hague on the 24th; All Diligence is us'd in Holland that the Troops which are to be ship'd off from thence for Portugal may be all on board by the end of this Month.

The freshest Letters from Poland say that Thorn holds out still. And that the King of Poland has call'd a General Diet to meet on the 18th of November, to consider Effectually of making a Peace with Sweden.

The Czar of Muscovy has besieg'd Nerva.